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THE VICARAGE,

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MY DEAR PEOPLE,

May I again call your attention to the daily Celebration of Holy Communion which begins on Thursday, September 1st, at 7.30 a.m. To those who are unable to be present at these services I suggest that they should remember in their private prayers the objects for Intercession on each day, specially those in which they are particularly interested. I am also sending an invitation to those whose dear ones died in the war, and, so far as the dates are known to me, on the anniversary of their death.

The Café Chantant is now a memory, but an extremely pleasant one. Favoured with fine weather, there was a very large attendance, and everybody seemed to enjoy everything! What struck me as being so delightful was the happy spirit which pervaded the whole gathering, and the hearty way in which everybody lended a hand. The Churchwardens join with me in very sincere appreciation of all you did on that day. The result too was excellent, and will prove most useful to the various funds which have thus been helped.

I was so glad to see so many of you in the Vicarage garden for the Annual C.E.T.S. open-air meeting, and we shall not soon forget Mr. Harris's telling address. Mr. F. Nightingale gave his first annual report, and a very cheering one it was; the large increase in membership was greatly owing to the success of the Social Gatherings during last winter.

I hear that some of the young folk are beginning to prepare for next winter's Socials by thinking out a scheme for Dramatic Entertainment. Those who are interested should communicate with Miss W. Newman, Seymour Road, who has the matter in hand.

I am sorry to record that Miss Paines has resigned her position as Superintendent of the Infants' Sunday School after doing excellent work in that department. I have asked Miss Mabel Watts, at present teaching in the Girls' School, to take Miss Paines' position, and I am glad to say she has consented to do so, though I have no doubt Miss Lush will miss her in her department.

I have distributed 12 Surgical Aid Tickets during the past month, and I could do with more. If you have any to spare, may I have them?

Yours very truly,

R. COAD PRYOR.

IMPORTANT.—Will all those who are responsible for Church Work please send a full report to the Vicar by the 20th of each month, by so doing it will not only be of great use to our readers, but greatly forward the work of the Church.

J. CHIPPERFIELD,

Magazine Treasurer.

Parish Wants.

1. A Parish Hall.
2. A Bier for use in Church at Funerals, approximate cost about £30.
3. Additional Subscriptions to the Day Schools, and the Free-will Offering Scheme.

CHURCHYARD.—Contributions towards keeping the Churchyard and the graves tidy will be welcomed, and may be sent to Mr. C. H. Evans (Churchwarden), Roseneath, Edward road, Hampton Hill.

Fete and Cafe Chantant Account, 27th July, 1921.

RECEIPTS.

	£	s.	d.
Sale of Tickets	24	2	0
Gate Money	11	7	0
Sale of Teas	7	2	1
„ Ices	8	13	8
Egg and Spoon Race	0	4	10
Cocoa-nut Shies	6	7	7
Hat Trimming Competition	0	14	6
Clock Golf	0	15	0
Fortune-telling	0	3	0
Donkey-tail Competition	0	8	3½
Whist Drive	1	6	0
Prize Fund Subscription	2	2	6
Bull-board	1	0	2
Lucky Dips	1	8	0
Football Goal-Kicks	1	18	1
Basket Competition	0	6	0
Sale of Cigarettes and Chocolates	0	12	8
„ Button-holes and Rosettes	0	9	11½
„ Lemonade and Ginger Beer	2	0	1
Buffet table	3	0	0
Suppers and light Refreshments	10	1	0
Dances	4	8	6
Cloak-room	0	5	0
Competitions	0	6	0
Raffles	1	11	3
Sweet Stall	1	12	6
Donations	8	18	0
Credit for empties returned	1	1	10
	£102	5	6

EXPENDITURE.

	£	s.	d.
Cutting grass in field	1	0	0
Fancy Candles	0	1	9
Whist Cards	0	4	11
Hire of Cocoa-nut shies account	0	10	0
Cocoa-nuts	2	1	8
Cigarettes (Greys)	0	3	4
Prizes	1	0	2
Chocolates and Cigarettes	2	10	0
Labour	0	2	6
Ham	1	4	8
Policeman on duty	0	15	0
Printing	1	11	0
Hire of Screens and rope	2	3	10
Insurance	10	1	6
Lemonade, Ginger Beer, Cakes, and Sports Prizes	3	10	0
Electricity for Dance	0	5	0
Chocolates and Cigarettes	1	16	9
Balance	73	3	5
	£102	5	6

Compared with vouchers and receipt book produced by the Hon. Sec. and Treasurer and certified correct.

(Signed) C. JAKEMAN, 8/8/21.

R. J. A. S. ELLIOTT, Hon. Sec. & Treasurer.

The Vicar and the Churchwardens have allocated the balance as under:

	£	s.	d.
Day Schools	35	0	0
Sunday Schools	10	0	0
Churchyard	10	0	0
Assistant Clergy	10	0	0
C.L.B.	5	0	0
Girl Guides	3	0	0
"Breakages"	0	3	5
	£73	3	5

Parish News.

ACKNOWLEDGED WITH THANKS.—For Sunday School Treat: Anonymous, 10/-; Miss Brewer, 5/-; Mrs. Davies, 10/6; Mrs. Harrison, 5/-; Mrs. and Miss Storey, 5/-; Mrs. Terry, 5/-; Large number of Fairy Lights—Mr. W. Makepeace.

CHURCH ORGAN.—A report has now been received from the Organ Builders, Messrs. Hele and Co. They state that certain portions of the organ are in a deplorable condition and they estimate the cost at about £35. The work is being put in hand at once, as it is essential that the repairs should immediately be done; probably something in the way of Organ Recitals may be arranged later on to meet this unlooked for expenditure.

Eighth List of Subscribers to Curate Fund to 18th August, 1921.

	£	s.	d.
Mrs. Belby (monthly)	0	1	0
Mr. Carter (monthly)	0	3	6
E. J. B. (monthly) July and August	0	2	0
Mrs. Groves	0	1	0
Mrs. Metcalf (monthly)	0	2	0
Mr. and Mrs. Pym	2	2	0
Mrs. Trotter (monthly)	0	2	6
Mrs. Underdown	0	1	0

C.E.T.S.—The annual open-air meeting was held in the Vicarage grounds, on Wednesday, August 10th, when a large number of members and others attended. Mr. F. Nightingale, Secretary, read the annual report and also the financial statement, both were considered satisfactory by the meeting. A very excellent and stirring address was given by Mr. Harris, attached to the head-quarter staff in London. After refreshments were handed round, a very good Entertainment, organized by Miss Newnan, was given. At the close, the Vicar thanked all those who had in many ways contributed to the success of the gathering.

Intercessions

FOR QUARTER ENDING MICHAELMAS.

LET US PRAY FOR PEACE:

In the World: For God's Blessing on the League of Nations; on all efforts to bring about a just and lasting peace; on all that tends to put an end to rivalry, and force, and jealousy between countries and peoples.

In Ireland: For its reconciliation and peace; for the doing away of violence and reprisals, and hatred, and the spirit of vengeance; for all who are striving to make peace.

In all Disputes between Labour and Capital: For mutual consideration and goodwill; for a desire for justice on both sides; for a settlement that shall be lasting and for the good of all.

LET US PRAY FOR THE DIOCESE:

For the Bishop and Clergy: That they may be faithful ministers of God's Holy Word and Sacraments; that amidst the manifold distractions of committees and public duties they may never forget the cure of souls.

For the Lay-people: That they may be faithful in prayer, in worship, in work, in almsgiving; that they may bear faithful and true witness; that they may shine as lights in the world.

For all Works of Mercy, Corporal & Spiritual: For the C.E.T.S., for all rescue work, for hospitals and homes of mercy for children and for grown people.

Hear us, we beseech Thee, O Lord.

At 7.30 a.m.—Holy Communion.

Mondays: Sunday Schools, Day Schools.

Tuesdays: District Visiting, Mothers' Union, Voluntary Workers in the Church, Cleaners, &c.

Wednesdays: Choir and Services, Church Parochial Council.

Thursdays: Temperance Work, Band of Hope, Crusaders and Adult Branch, C.E.T.S.

Fridays: Church Missions, Home & Over-seas

Saturdays: Church Lads' Brigade, Girl Guides, Girls' Friendly Society.

ALTAR VASES.—Miss Elliott is responsible during September.

Sunday Schools.

"THY KINGDOM COME."

There seems to be no end to the energy of the Sunday School Teachers of London. They are continually working to equip and fit themselves as fully as possible for their wonderful work.

It seems as though in answer to their common prayer "Thy Kingdom come in earth," they have caught a vision of its growth. They know that truly the Kingdom is at hand, hidden within the children's lives—within the lives of all God's children, young or old. "The Kingdom of God . . . is like a grain of mustard seed, which a man took, and cast into his garden; and it grew." Perhaps the secret of the Teacher's keenness may be found in these words. Each teacher is determined to place her children in a true "Soul garden" where, in the light of God's love, the seed of the Kingdom

may grow. How can this best be done? How can we prepare such a garden? The wisest dare not say! Yet, together, we may meet each other and confer, sharing our experiences, and together, we may speak with God in prayer.

In order to provide an opportunity for those who desire to meet together in this way a number of Lecture Courses, Training Weeks, and the Conversazione, have been arranged for the Autumn Session, the details of which are given below.

SUGGESTIONS FOR TEACHERS ATTENDING LECTURE COURSES.

All Teachers are advised—

1. *To bring (and to use) note books and pencils.* Do not be content to listen to lectures and to go away and forget them. Do not simply look for the suggestions that "cannot be carried out in our Parish." Try to note down at least one or two suggestions of method that you can think over and act upon, or one or two points of Child Study that you can test in the light of your experience with your children.

2. *Come both to give and to get all the ideas that you can.* Ask about any difficulties that occur to you. Probably others are anxious to have the same points raised. Start or join in the discussions and so "break the ice" for others. If you wish for individual help, arrange for a private interview with one of the lecturers.

3. *Prepare for the Lecture Courses with prayer.* Those who speak and those who listen all need your prayers. God Himself wants to show us how to help His children. We believe that He wants to speak through human lips and that He wants human ears to hear and to understand His message. Therefore begin now, by prayer, to prepare for the Autumn Meetings, and keep up your help until the end of the term.

Lectures will be given in S. Mary's Schools, Twickenham, on Tuesdays, commencing September 27th. All Teachers in Day and Sunday Schools will be welcomed.

OFFERTORIES.

	8 a.m.	11 a.m.	7 p.m.	TOTAL
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
July 31—Sunday Schools	11/8	5 1 5	1 10 0	7 12 1
Aug. 7—Poor Fund	16 2	2 14 5	1 0 7	5 0 2
		Assist. Clergy Fund		
„ 14—Church Expenses	10/6	2 11 10	1 4 0	4 6 4
„ 21	9/10	2 11 1	1 11 5	4 12 4
Children's Services (Missions) July 31, 3/10; Aug. 7, 3/6				
Aug. 14, 5/1; Aug. 21, 4/3		...	...	0 16 8
Week-day Services—July 25, 3/11; July 28, 1/6; Aug. 4, 3/-; Aug. 11, 2/0; Aug. 18, 3/7		...	...	0 14 0
Free-will Offering	..	..	..	£23 1 7
				2 10 2
				<u>£26 0 9</u>

BAPTISMS.

"Made a Member of Christ."

July 31—Eileen Lillian Moore.
 Aug. 14—Eric George Liddle.
 „ 14—Arthur Harold Chapman.
 „ 14—Marguerite Bottrell.
 „ 14—Muriel Grace Smith.
 „ 14—Frances Paul Howard.
 „ 14—Douglas Horace Smith.
 „ 14—Stanley Edward Thomas Tolfree.
 „ 21—Megan Williams.

MARRIAGE.

"Those whom God hath joined together."

Aug. 6—Jonathan Albert Lovett and Violet Maude Reed.

BURIALS.

"I am the Resurrection and the Life."

Aug. 3—Reginald Murphy, aged 4 months.
 „ 3—Alfred John West, aged 8 months.
 „ 4—Ethel Sibbey, aged 19 years.
 „ 8—Robert Nathaniel Cook, aged 74 years.
 „ 10—Emily Amelia James, aged 46 years.